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Notice of Proposed Action Division of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Air Quality Planning

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The Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP), Bureau of Air Quality Planning, has available for public comment, a draft of the first Annual Ambient Air Quality Monitoring Network Plan. According to the Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR Part 58.10); states must submit an annual Network Plan, on July 1, 2007, to the Regional Administrator of the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency.

The Network Plan shall provide for the establishment and maintenance of an air quality surveillance system that consists of a network of State and Local Monitoring Stations (SLAMS), including Federal Reference Methods and Federal Equivalent Methods that are part of SLAMS and Special Purpose Monitoring Stations. Specific elements required in the Network Plan include: general/background information regarding the number of monitors required, site and monitor information.

A draft of the Network Plan is available, upon request, by contacting Terry Hall. The draft Network Plan is also available on NDEP'S website on the public notice page. Persons wishing to comment on the draft Network Plan should submit their comments in writing and be delivered either in person, by mail, or by fax, to:

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Written comments will be received until June 25, 2007, and will be retained and considered.